

Interview Summary

Application No.

10/659,331

Applicant(s)

BOSCHA ET AL.

Examiner

Matthew D. Hoel

Art Unit

3714

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Matthew D. Hoel, examiner.

(3) Ilya Zborovsky, attorney.

(2) Xuan Thai, SPE.

(4) Bogie Boscha, inventor.

Date of Interview: 24 October 2007.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☒ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: See Continuation Sheet.

Claim(s) discussed: 75-79.

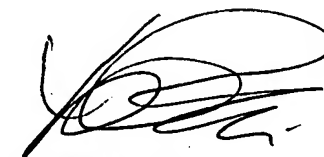
Identification of prior art discussed: Tuer, Konow, "KISS Guide to Playing Golf," Bluetooth specification.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: See Continuation Sheet.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.



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SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required

Continuation of Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted, If Yes, brief description: Mr. Boscha showed the examiner a data file containing the sensor data for the golf swing and physical data identifying a golf club.

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Mr. Boscha said that two golf clubs would still be uniquely identified even if they happened to have identical characteristics. The data file has a date and time stamp to uniquely identify each swing and includes the swing data and the golf club serial number. The display of the swing data on the computer displays the motion of the club based on the swing data as well as the golf club's serial number and physical characteristics. The applicant and his attorney believed that the Bluetooth address was used for initial connection purposes only and did not suggest the unique golf club serial number. The examiner had pointed to Bluetooth's unique addresses and the fact that a golfer carries multiple clubs of varying types as indicating an ability inherent in Bluetooth and motivation of one of ordinary skill in the art for uniquely identifying each club. No agreement was reached. The applicants will send in clarifying claim language before the examiner's next action.

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No. 10/659331 First Named Applicant: Boscha
 Examiner: M.D. Hoel Art Unit: 3714 Status of Application: pending

Tentative Participants:

(1) I. Zborovsky (2) _____
 (3) B. Boscha (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: 10/24 Proposed Time: 11:00 (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO
 If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>Rej. 103(a)</u>	<u>75-79</u>	<u>known</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

It will be explained how the present invention is
different and why it cannot be considered as obvious
from the combination of the references.
 An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on 10-24-2007
11:00 A.M. EST

NOTE:

This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature)

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

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